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For: METHODS OF PRODUCING CARBON

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NANOTUBES USING PEPTIDE OR NUCLEIC

ACID MICROPATTERNING

#### SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT

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Dear Sir:

#### INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

Prior to examination on the merits, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 9 of this paper.